

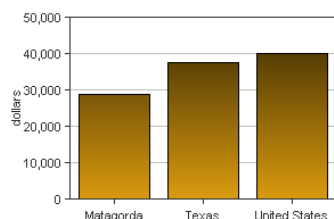
# Matagorda, Texas

Matagorda is one of 254 [counties](#) in Texas. It is part of the Bay City, TX Micropolitan SA. Its 2008 population of 37,038 ranked 79th in the state.

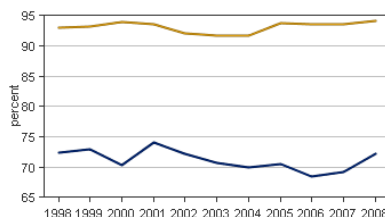
## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2008 Matagorda had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$28,986. This PCPI ranked 171st in the state and was 77 percent of the state average, \$37,809, and 72 percent of the national average, \$40,166. The 2008 PCPI reflected an increase of 6.1 percent from 2007. The 2007-2008 state change was 2.6 percent and the national change was 2.0 percent. In 1998 the PCPI of Matagorda was \$19,738 and ranked 125th in the state. The 1998-2008 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.1 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

**Per Capita Personal Income, 2008**



**Per Capita Income as a Percent of the United States, 2008**



■ Texas ■ Matagorda

## TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

	2007-08 percent change	1998-2008 AAGR
Matagorda	7.0 %	3.7 %
Texas	4.6 %	6.0 %
U.S.	2.9 %	5.0 %

*AAGR: average annual growth rate*

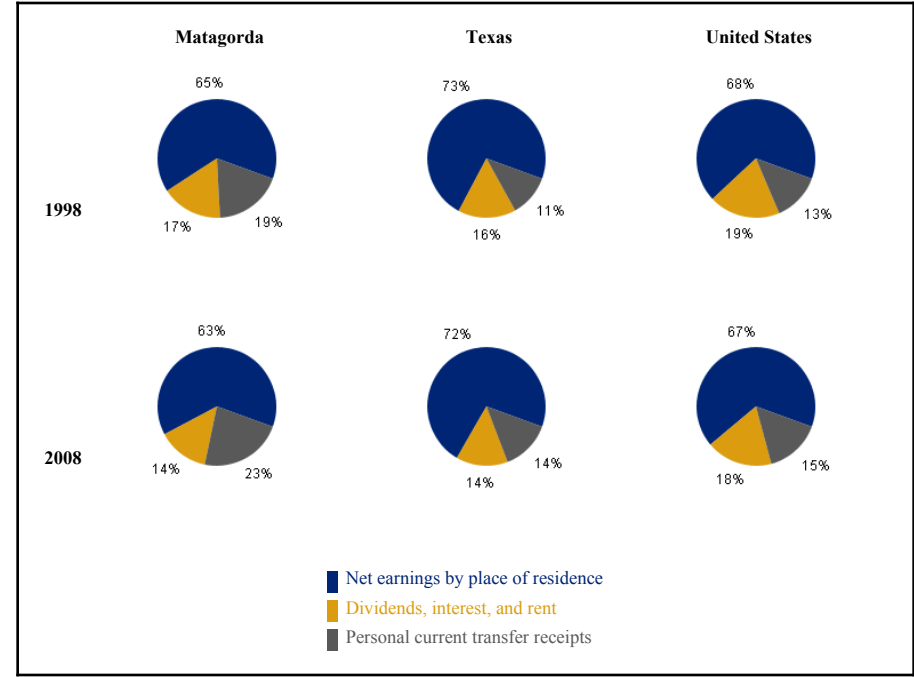
In 2008 Matagorda had a total personal income (TPI) of \$1,073,586\*. This TPI ranked 80th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1998 the TPI of Matagorda was \$750,097\* and ranked 67th in the state.

\*Note: Total personal income estimates are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Matagorda.

Percent Contribution to Total Personal Income



2007-2008 percent change			
	Matagorda	Texas	U.S.
Net earnings	7.5 %	4.6 %	2.0 %
Dividends, interest, and rent	1.8 %	- 0.1 %	1.3 %
Personal current transfer receipts	9.0 %	10.2 %	9.2 %

1998-2008 average annual growth rate			
	Matagorda	Texas	U.S.
Net earnings	3.5 %	5.9 %	4.8 %
Dividends, interest, and rent	1.7 %	5.0 %	4.2 %
Personal current transfer receipts	5.8 %	7.8 %	6.7 %